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## AMENDED RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O.Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

This is in furtherance to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed December 29, 2006, applicants hereby provisionally elect claims in Group III, claims 1-9 and 11 with SEQ ID NO 4 for continued examination, without traverse. Filed herewith is a Petition and fee for four months extension of time. Accordingly, this response is timely filed.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.